

IN CIRCUIT COURT  
MAGISTRATE DIVISION  
THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

CRI19-  
INDICTMENT FOR:

**COUNT 1: MURDER IN THE  
SECOND DEGREE**

A CLASS B FELONY  
VIOLATION OF SDCL 22-16-7

**COUNT 2: MANSLAUGHTER IN THE FIRST DEGREE**

A CLASS C FELONY

**VIOLATION OF SDCL 22-16-15(1)**

**COUNT 3: ABUSE OR CRUELTY  
TO A MINOR UNDER AGE 7**

**A CLASS 3 FELONY**

VIOLATION OF SDCL 26-10-1

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## Defendants.

That on or about the 31st day of July, 2019, in the County of Brookings, State of South Dakota, Renae R. Fayant and Robert L. Price Jr., did commit the public offenses of Count 1: Murder in the Second Degree, A Class B Felony, (SDCL 22-16-7); in the alternative Count 2: Manslaughter in the First Degree, A Class C Felony, (SDCL 22-16-15(1)); and Count 3: Abuse or Cruelty to a Minor Under Age 7, A Class 3 Felony, (SDCL 26-10-1), in that they did:

cause the death of another person, namely: [REDACTED], by committing an act imminently dangerous to others and evincing a depraved mind, without regard for human life,

without the design to effect the death of any particular person; or

IN THE ALTERNATIVE:

**COUNT 2:**

then and there cause the death of [REDACTED], without any design to effect the death of [REDACTED], while engaged in the commission of any felony other than provided in SDCL 22-16-4(2), to-wit: Child Abuse; in violation of SDCL 26-10-1; and

**COUNT 3:**

abuse, expose, torture, torment or cruelly punish a minor, namely, [REDACTED], in a manner which does not constitute aggravated assault, while said victim was less than seven (7) years of age with a date of birth of [REDACTED] contrary to statute in such case made and provided against the peace and dignity of the State of South Dakota.

Dated this 2nd day of August, 2019, at Brookings, South Dakota.

A TRUE BILL  
"A TRUE BILL"

THIS INDICTMENT IS MADE WITH THE CONCURRENCE OF AT LEAST SIX GRAND JURORS.

[REDACTED]  
Grand Jury Foreperson

WITNESSES WHO TESTIFIED BEFORE THE GRAND JURY IN REGARD TO THIS INDICTMENT: Joel Perry and Jeff Kollars